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Amendment/Response Resubmission

SIR:

In response to the Examiner's office action of October 28, 2008, Applicants respectfully present the following amendment to address the Examiner's action. Claims 5-6, 9-12, 14, 16-17, 19, 21 and 23-34 (duplicate claim 22 was renumbered as claim 23 and all subsequent claims were renumbered) were cancelled *without prejudice* pursuant to the Examiner's restriction requirement and Applicant's election with traverse to prosecute the elected species and the invention of group I. The second of the two claims 22 was renumbered as claim 23 and canceled in order to address the Examiner's rejection of this claim. Renumbered claim 35 replaced the canceled claim 22 (renumbered as claim 23).

The originally filed claims are amended as follows. Claims 5-6, 9-12, 14, 16-17, 19, 21 and 23-34 were cancelled. Claims 35-45 and 47 are new and are directed to pharmaceutical compositions. Claim 46 is directed to the elected species compound.